

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: N. MIYADERA, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/573,810  
Filed: March 28, 2006  
For: LIGHT BRANCHING OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE  
Group: 2874  
Examiner: John M. Bedtelyon  
Conf. No.: 9359

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 18, 2008

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month with respect to the period in response to the Notice of Appeal filed April 18, 2008. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$1050.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (396.46073X00) and excess fees credited to account.

Respectfully submitted,

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